



STATE OF UTAH
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF WATER RIGHTS

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Distribution Report - Alvey Wash
March 25, 1971

Pursuing the arrangements as set forth at the meeting of March 8, 1971, the following distribution program is suggested.

In response to a letter from Sam Cline received March 9, 1971, suggesting William Hathaway, Escalante, Utah or John Winfield, Hurricane, Utah for the commissioner's position, Gerald Stoker, our area engineer, interviewed Mr. Hathaway. Mr. Stoker recommends that due to the travel and qualifications necessary for the position, we appoint Mr. Hathaway. In addition, Mr. Stoker compiled a list of suggested measuring devices which should be installed. Our recommendation is that the Court order the users to install measuring devices on all water diversions under the direction of the State Engineer.

The following estimated budget has been prepared for your consideration as follows:

Suggested Budget for 1971

Item	Cost
Commissioner's Salary (\$2.00/hour)	\$384.00
Commissioner's Travel (\$0.10/mile)	200.00
Social Security	19.97
Matching State Retirement	16.31
Commissioner's Report	25.00
Miscellaneous	<u>4.72</u>
Total	\$625.00

The budget was established on the basis of the commissioner checking the diversions three times a week during the period of March through October.

Travel was established on the basis of 96 trips--20 miles a trip--at \$0.10 a mile.

Social security and matching state retirement are the percentages established by law.

The commissioner's report was set at \$25.00.

Miscellaneous was set at \$4.72 to even the budget out to \$625.



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Assessment for the commissioner's expenses will be made pro-rata on an irrigated acreage basis as set forth in the State Engineer's Proposed Determination of Water Rights.

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